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SUBJECT: TUNA IMPORT REGULATIONS

RE: A. MANILA A-46, B. MANILA A-105, C. STATE 49988,
D. STATE A-1353

1. THE GOP REQUEST, CONTAINED IN ITS NOTE NO. 351-77, OF FEBRUARY 3, 1977, TO WAIVE CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR YELLOWFIN TUNA IMPORTS FROM THE PHILIPPINES, CANNOT BE GRANTED. COMMERCE DEPT. REGULATIONS POUCHED REF D REQUIRE DOCUMENTATION AND WOULD HAVE TO BE AMENDED TO GRANT GOP REQUEST.

2. PRINCIPLE INTENT OF DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS APPARENTLY IS TO PREVENT THIRD COUNTRY TRANSSHIPMENTS OF TUNA CAUGHT "ON PORPOISE" WHICH IS NOT TAKEN WITH PORPOISE SAVING GEAR AND TECHNIQUES.

3. THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN TUNA OFTEN INVOLVES THE
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SHIPMENT OF UNPROCESSED FISH FROM THE VESSELS OF ONE COUNTRY TO THE STORAGE FACILITIES OR TRANSSHIPMENT VESSELS OF ANOTHER. THE US REGULATIONS ARE DESIGNED TO INSURE THAT TUNA TAKEN IN A MANNER NOT PERMITTED FOR U.S. FISHERMEN IS NOT BROUGHT INTO THE US THROUGH AN INTERMEDIARY COUNTRY. THUS, ALL SHIPMENTS OF YELLOWFIN TUNA TO THE US MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE DOCUMENTATIONS SET OUT IN REFS. C AND D.

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